

## ANSWERING REVIEWERS



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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 7349-review.doc).

**Title:** What have we learned about kallikrein-kinin and renin-angiotensin systems in neurological disorders?

**Author:** Maria da Graça Naffah-Mazzacoratti, Telma Luciana Furtado Gouveia, Priscila Santos Rodrigues Simões, Sandra Regina Perosa

**Name of Journal:** *World Journal of Biological Chemistry*

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**Referee number** 00646655

**We would like to thank for the suggestion made by referees. They were very important to improve the quality of our work.**

**The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers and all alterations were made:**

1. The content of this manuscript is not limited to the “neurodegenerative disorders”, so the title should be revised, such as “neurological disorders”.  
**The title was modified properly.**
2. One abstract of this review article should be added.  
**The abstract was now included in the main text.**
3. The manuscript is not organized smoothly and causes confusion to readers. Subtitles should be used to organize the manuscript  
**All manuscript was revised and subtitles were included to facilitate the text comprehension.**
4. The authors discussed the effects of BR1 and BR2 receptors in various neurological disorders. However, the receptors expression in neurons, glia cells and inflammatory cells in CNS were not mentioned. Also, the alteration of receptors expression under different pathological conditions should be discussed.  
**These items were described and discussed in all text as suggestion.**
5. AngII has been shown to be both protective and detrimental in different neurological diseases. The authors should give their own possible explanations for such controversial results.  
**A new paragraph was included on page 11 as referee’s suggestion.**
6. The manuscript should be proof-read carefully. There are several grammatical and spelling errors. For example, page 4, paragraph 3, line 2, “According some authors”, should be

“according to some authors”

**All text was revised by a native English speaker and all mistakes were corrected**

Referee 00227415

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1-The article entitled “What have we learned about kallikrein-kinin and renin-angiotensin systems in neurodegenerative disorders? “ by Maria da Graça Naffah-Mazzacoratti et al. . is a review regarding the role of RAS and KKS in several neurodegenerative diseases. There are several grammatical and typing mistakes.

All mistakes were fixed as suggestion and the text was revised by a native English speaker.

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Biological Chemistry*

Sincerely yours,

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